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**REQUEST TO ADD AN INVENTOR UNDER  
37 C.F.R. § 1.48 AND PETITION UNDER § 1.47(a)**

NOW COME applicants in the above-identified application and hereby request, under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.48, to add as an inventor in this application Steven L. Peace. The fee of \$130 accompanies this request. Applicants also petition, under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.47, for leave to file the present application without the signatures of Michael Jolley and Curt D. Dundas, both of whom have refused to sign the replacement Declaration and Power of Attorney in the application. The fee of \$200 for this petition is also enclosed.

The present application was filed for the purpose of presenting claims copied from U.S. Patent No. 6,290,865 ("the '865 patent") to provoke an

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